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**wake park**

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**Linda Huskey** <lindahuskey@gmail.com>

Sun, Sep 2, 2012 at 5:09 PM

To: ppopelka@monroewa.gov

Hello Mr. Popelka

I am a resident of the Fryelands neighborhood in Monroe. Please reconsider the wake board park. Putting in that park will take away a lake used by many residents and give to a few outsiders to use. Why is the park being considered for the south end of the lake where people swim, raft, and use their RC boats? If we must have the park, put it up on the north end where people do not generally swim. The proposed location is right where most of the people use the lake.

I use the lake usually 3-4 days a week in the summer for either swimming (distance, not just playing in the water), running, walking and generally enjoying the open space. I participate in the triathlons held in the lake. The proposed park sits right on top of the swim course. Will the lake be able to host the triathlons next summer? The proposed location of the wake park will allow for a small channel on the west side for swimming. Now the swimmers get to dodge the fishing lines.

The wakes created by the park will make for very unpleasant swimming in the lake. I recently tried swimming in Lake Stevens and the wakes created by the boats made for miserable swimming. All I could think was that was what Lake Tye is going to become despite using pulleys rather than boats.

I don't think this wake park is in the best interest of the residents. The towers will turn a beautiful park into an eyesore. The water will become choppy and nobody will be able to use the south end of the lake. I don't see many residents using this wake park. I hear a lot of people say they can't afford to take the family to the fair. So I doubt they will be waking boarding. I know I won't be able to afford to try it even if I wanted to.

Please reconsider.

Linda Huskey  
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**Paul Popelka** <ppopelka@monroewa.gov>  
To: Linda Huskey <lindahuskey@gmail.com>

Thu, Sep 6, 2012 at 3:34 PM

Thank you for your note, Linda, I will forward this to City Council.

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Thu, Sep 6, 2012 at 4:10 PM

To: Eadye Martinson &lt;emartinson@monroewa.gov&gt;

Cc: Gene Brazel &lt;gbrazel@monroewa.gov&gt;, Jeff Sax &lt;jsax@monroewa.gov&gt;, Brad Feilberg &lt;bfeilberg@monroewa.gov&gt;

Eadye,

I have received one email (see note below) and one letter from citizens in opposition to the Wake Park project. Please forward these to Council. Thanks!

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**Citizen Letter Wake Park Comment 0905-2012.pdf**

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**Eadye Martinson** <emartinson@monroewa.gov>

Thu, Sep 6, 2012 at 4:29 PM

Done!

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**From:** Paul Popelka [mailto:[ppopelka@monroewa.gov](mailto:ppopelka@monroewa.gov)]

**Sent:** Thursday, September 06, 2012 4:11 PM

**To:** Eadye Martinson

**Cc:** Gene Brazel; Jeff Sax; Brad Feilberg

**Subject:** Fwd: wake park

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